

Cinema Music

Old West Goes In "Swing Time"

Drama Art

Bad Fire Starter
WAVERTLY, Kan. (U.P.)—Mrs. Everett drained a bucket of "kerosene" from a barrel to start a fire. She had forgotten the kerosene had been replaced with gasoline. She escaped with painful burns.



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FIFTEENTH FILM LOVER FOR HARLOW



Jean Harlow and Franchot Tone in "Suzy"

Love-making as a screen art should come easy to Jean Harlow for the popular M-G-M star who makes her latest appearance starting today at the Torrance Theatre in "Suzy," has had no less than 15 different screen lovers! Her love scenes with Ben Lyon in "Hell's Angels," the picture which first brought her nationwide attention, are still indelibly printed in the memory of early picture fans.

Her second screen lover was John Mack Brown in "The Secret Six," starring Wallace Beery. In quick succession other pictures followed during 1931: "Iron Man" in which she was teamed with Lew Ayres; "Public Enemy" with James Cagney as her lover; "Goldie" which placed her in the arms of Spencer Tracy; "Platinum Blonde" with Robert Williams; and "Three Wise Girls" with Walter Byron. Miss Harlow's ninth leading man was Wallace Ford in "Beast of the City"; her tenth, Chester Morris in "Red Headed Woman."

And then Miss Harlow was catapulted to stardom after Clark Gable took her in his arms in "Red Dust," a screen performance which to this day Miss Harlow believes has been her best.

After "Red Dust" came Wallace Beery to share her embraces in the all-star picture, "Dinner at Eight." The popularity of Gable-Harlow as a starring team demanded a "repeat" performance which took place in "Hold Your Man."

The blonde star's 13th picture gave her Lee Tracy as her 12th screen lover, in "Blonde Bombshell," the comedy of a temperamental film star and her dynamic press agent.

Screen lover No. 13 was Franchot Tone in "The Girl from Missouri"; No. 14, William Powell in "Reckless." Gable appeared with Miss Harlow again in "China Seas" and "Wife Versus Secretary," and Spencer Tracy for the second time enjoyed a screen romance with her in "Riffruff."

Now, in "Suzy" Miss Harlow reaches her 18th featured picture and her 16th screen lover—Cary Grant. In fact, she has two leading men, Franchot Tone being one of them.

Freight Volume on Rise
TOLEDO, (U.P.)—Freight tonnage in Toledo, considered a measure of general business and industrial activity, has been running 40 percent ahead of a similar period last year. Dollar volume of business has been about 25 percent above last year, as seen in bank debits.

Crosby-Burns

Team Plays Nursemaid to Prize Bull In Cross Country Jaunt

They haven't got the coyotes singing Hi-Di-Ho, but in almost every other way the Old West has gone swing in Bing Crosby's latest, "Rhythm On the Range," scheduled to open Sunday at the Plaza Theatre, Hawthorne, with Crosby, Frances Farmer and Bob Burns in central roles.

"Rhythm On the Range" makes a cowboy out of Burns, and opens its story when the crooner buys a prize bull at a rodeo in New York's Madison Square Garden, then starts West with the animal in a box car. In the reels that follow, a rollicking romance is punctuated by the bazooka-playing of Burns; swing music by Louis Prima's world-famed band, Western songs, and the antics of Crosby, Burns, the bull, Miss Farmer, and Martha Raye, new screen comedienne "find."

Warren Hymer and George E. Stone, together with James Burke, add thuggery to the yarn by trailing Crosby and Miss Farmer across the continent with the idea of kidnaping the girl and demanding ransom from her wealthy father, Robert Hollaway. Lucille Webster Gleason appears as Miss Farmer's rugged Arizona aunt.

Crosby and Miss Farmer are thrown together when the girl, fleeing from a society marriage, stows away in his box car. By railroad, on foot, and by auto and trailer, the pair fight their way to Arizona, hauling the bull with them.

Bob Burns has his screen debut as Crosby's cowboy pal, who is taken by storm by the dynamic Miss Raye. Their romance, too, has a transcontinental touch. It begins aboard a passenger train in which Burns is heading for the same ranch.

"Rhythm On the Range" introduces such song hits as "I Can't Escape From You," "The House That Jack Built for Jill," "If You Can't Sing It You'll Have to Swing It," "Empty Saddles," "I'm An Old Cow Hand From the Rio Grande" and "Roundup Lullaby."

The song "Rhythm On the Range," current hit penned by Richard Whiting and Walker Bullock, was inspired by the picture.

GRAPE FESTIVAL
LODI.—Focusing attention up on the rapid return to world prominence of California's grape and wine industry, the third annual Northern San Joaquin county grape and wine festival will be staged in Lodi, Sept. 18, 19 and 20.

COMES TO TORRANCE THEATRE SUN.



It happened in Canada! Five darling babies born at once, and this scene from "The Country Doctor," Fox picture which stars the Dionne Quintuplets, shows Slim Summerville, Jean Hersholt and John Qualen more than a little amazed at the stork's bounty!

Jean Harlow Is Star In Famous Gorman Novel

Jean Harlow's newest starring vehicle, "Suzy," in which the popular actress is supported by Franchot Tone and Cary Grant, will be the attraction on the Plaza Theatre's screen starting today.

Adapted from the sensational novel by Herbert Gorman, "Suzy" is the deeply romantic story of an American girl who becomes enmeshed in the wartime spy system in Europe.

George Fitzmaurice, who directed two of Greta Garbo's greatest hits—"Mata Hari" and "As You Desire Me"—directed Miss Harlow in the new production.

Although the notorious spy is not one of the principal figures in the drama, Miss Harlow, as Suzy, unwittingly uncovers evidence which leads to a woman counter-spy's execution and the shattering of her romance with a young army officer.

Miss Harlow returns to her screen work after starring roles in three successive pictures, "Wife Versus Secretary" in which she appeared with Clark Gable and Myrna Loy, "Riffruff" with Spencer Tracy, and "China Seas" with Gable and Wallace Beery.

Water Spectacle At Boulder Dam

Ceremonies marking the opening of all twelve valves of Boulder Dam's canyon wall outlet system will be held Friday, September 11, reports the Automobile Club of Southern California. A key pressed by President Roosevelt on the other side of the continent will open the valves and release a flow of water expected to rival Niagara. The spectacle of all twelve valves flowing at capacity will rarely, if ever, be repeated.

COMPLETE COVERAGE
All Torrance Herald ads run in the Tri-City Shopping News without extra charge.

Quintuplet Film Unparalleled As Fine Amusement

In the picture that is the entertainment scoop of the year, Darryl F. Zanuck makes movie stars of the first rank of the world's front-page darlings, as he presents the Dionne Quintuplets in their first full length feature, "The Country Doctor," which comes Sunday to the Torrance Theatre for a three-day run.

Adapted from an original story by Charles E. Blake, Chicago newspaper man, "The Country Doctor" finds its drama in the life-and-death conflict that a physician eternally wages in the Canadian wilds in his unselfish work. It is warm with delightful humorous touches, fresh with the antics, the crooning and the play of the world's most famous babies.

Jean Hersholt, beloved character star, is the doctor of the picture, a heroic, self-sacrificing physician who fights pain and ill in a Canadian fur-trading post with inadequate equipment.

Because his nephew, Michael Whalen, persists in his love for June Lang, daughter of the post's manager, and because Hersholt himself tactlessly attempts to get a hospital and needed supplies for his people, he incurs the displeasure of the company powers. Without regard for his record or heroism, the post manager ousts him from his position.

He is broken and dispirited when he gets a call to attend John Qualen's wife and goes to her, never suspecting the phenomenon he is going to witness. In a sequence that is the high spot of the picture for drama and comedy, the five tiny mites are brought to the world, and the doctor begins the fight to keep them alive.

As the film nears its close, we witness the fame and rewards that are heaped on the happy doctor as his little charges prosper and grow. And, at the height of his happiness, the post manager relents and gives his consent to the romance of Whalen and Miss Lang.

The screen story of the picture, which was directed by Henry King, was written by Sonya Levien. And Slim Summerville, Dorothy Peterson and Robert Barratt, as members of the all-star cast, occupy prominent roles.

Poultry Show At County Fair

POMONA.—Giving the last minute flash news of the final arrangements being perfected for what promises to be the greatest poultry show in the history of Los Angeles county fair which opens in Pomona Sept. 18, the annual "Pink Sheet" is off the press and being mailed to hundreds of prospective exhibitors throughout the West.

Another important announcement is that of the club meetings scheduled to be held in conjunction with the fair. The list includes the California Breeders of Rare and Fancy Fowl Club; California Australorp Club, 2 p. m., Sept. 26; Western White Plymouth Rock Club; West Coast Turkey Breeders, 1 p. m., Sept. 24, and others. To still further stimulate interest in the show these clubs are offering special prizes to their members. In addition the Cornish Breeders' Club of California, the Pacific Cornish Fowl Club, the Plymouth Rock Club of America, and the California White Wyandotte Club are also offering special prizes to its member exhibitors.

RHYTHM RIDES THE RANGE . . .



But not in this scene. "Rhythm On the Range," Bing Crosby's musical hit of the season, is the story of the experiences of a crooner who buys a prize bull and travels West. The picture starts Sunday at the Plaza Theatre, Hawthorne.

Gets His Bears
MONTICELLO, Utah (U.P.)—Roy Musseman, San Juan County veteran trapper, is one of the last who makes a profession of trapping bears. He recently completed a two-months hunt in which he got two large specimens.

Old Money Good
HONOLULU (U.P.)—Money issued by the Hawaiian monarchy before the islands became a U. S. territory in 1900 may be redeemed at face value, according to W. C. McConaigie, territorial treasurer—but it is worth far more to collectors.

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BEFORE and AFTER
BUYING AN ELECTROLUX
Left is a picture of a woman who has bought an "ordinary" refrigerator. She was not very happy about it. Her food did not keep well, the mechanism often broke down, and her power bill was out of sight. As food and power costs rose, friend hubby made an awful howl, said "let's do something about it."
Here is the same woman AFTER a new ELECTROLUX was installed in her kitchen. Cost of operation fell to practically nothing, she could buy food for a week ahead, and the silent, steady mechanism made her kitchen quiet and pleasant. Friend hubby has ceased to growl, buys little presents for his wife with the money saved.
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